1 2 3 4 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 5 DISTRICT OF NEVADA * * * 6 7 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Case No. 2:06-CR-202 JCM (LRL) 8 Plaintiff(s), ORDER 9 v. 10 JOHN RAY WATTS, 11 Defendant(s). 12 Presently before the court is the case of *United States of America v. John Ray Watts*, case 13 number 2:06-cr-00202-JCM-LRL. 14 On May 5, 2016, the parties submitted a joint motion to vacate defendant's sentence under 15 28 U.S.C. § 2255(a). (ECF No. 49). On May 12, 2016, the court granted the joint motion. (ECF 16 No. 50). Prior to submission of the parties' joint motion, defendant John Ray Watts had filed his 17 own motion to vacate sentence under 28 U.S.C. § 2255(a). (ECF No. 47). In his motion, defendant 18 requested substantively identical relief to that granted by the court in response to the parties' joint 19 motion. (See id.) Defendant's motion is thus moot. 20 Accordingly, 21 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that defendant John Ray Watts' motion to vacate sentence under 28 U.S.C. § 2255 (ECF No. 47) be, and the same hereby 22 is, DENIED as moot. 23 DATED May 13, 2016. 24 ellus C. Mahan 25 26 27 28

James C. Mahan U.S. District Judge